



Poultry Programs

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CHICKEN AND CHICKEN PRODUCTS, INVITATION NO. 10, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-267

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell chicken and chicken products as indicated below and per the Announcement for use in school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Tuesday, Oct. 14 (due to the holiday on Monday for Federal employees). Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Oct. 17. Deliveries are to be made from Nov. 16 to Nov. 30.

All offers must be submitted electronically through the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) website at <https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?>. Offers submitted by any means other than DEBES will be considered nonresponsive.

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Items listed as "KOSHER ONLY" must be produced as a Kosher product. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-267; Appendix-1; the Commodity Specifications for Chicken Parts, Batter/Breaded Chicken Parts, and Bulk Pack Chicken and Chicken Parts dated May 2003; or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, 1400 Independence Ave., SW, Washington, D.C. 20250, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this Invitation can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

Purchases of the commodities listed below will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-267, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by mechanically refrigerated trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

Cut-up (221240) - Frozen cut-up chickens, 8 pieces, without necks and giblets. Cut-up chickens must be produced from ready-to-cook broiler/fryer chickens which weigh 2.50 to 3.75 pounds (1.13 to 1.70 kg) without necks and giblets. The commodity must be packed in a minimum of four plastic-film bags and packed 40 pounds (18.14 kg) net weight in each fiberboard shipping container, with 1,000 containers per purchase unit totaling 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

Cooked (221530) - Frozen cooked batter/breaded cut-up chickens, 8 pieces. The cooked chicken parts must be produced from ready-to-cook broiler/fryer chickens which weigh 2.50 to 3 pounds (1.13 to 1.36 kg) without necks and giblets. The commodity must be packaged or packed in a minimum of three plastic-film bags or layers, respectively, and packed 30 pounds (13.61 kg) net weight in each fiberboard shipping container, with 1,300 containers per purchase unit totaling 39,000 pounds (17,690 kg).

Bulk Pack, Small (221690) - Bulk packed for further processing, chilled ready-to-cook broiler/fryer chickens without necks and giblets. Frozen may be specified. The weight range for an individual chicken is 2.50 to 3.75 pounds (1.13 to 1.70 kg), without neck and giblets. The commodity must be packed in commercial containers as required by the Commodity Specification for Bulk Pack Chicken and Chicken Parts dated May 2003. A purchase unit will total 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg).

Bulk Pack, Large (222590) - Bulk packed for further processing, chilled ready-to-cook broiler/fryer chickens without necks and giblets. Frozen may be specified. The weight range for an individual chicken is over 3.75 pounds (over 1.70 kg), without neck and giblets. The commodity must be packed in commercial containers as required by the Commodity Specification for Bulk Pack Chicken and Chicken Parts dated May 2003. A purchase unit will total 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg).

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY267
INVITATION : 010
COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 12 CHICKEN, CUT-UP, FROZEN
PACK SIZE : 40 40 LB CONTAINER

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
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DELIVERY PERIOD 11/16/03 - 11/30/03

001	NATICK	MA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000	
	TAUNTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000	
002	SPRINGFIELD	MA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000	
	TAUNTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000	
003	WILMINGTON	MA		40,000	
004	BROOKLYN	NY	TRUCK ONLY	80,000	- KOSHER ONLY
005	MOBILE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
006	MIAMI PLANTATIO	FL		40,000	
007	ORMOND BEACH	FL	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
008	WINTER HAVEN	FL		80,000	
009	GRANITE CITY	IL		80,000	
010	ALEXANDRIA	LA		40,000	
011	BATON ROUGE	LA		40,000	
012	HARAHAN	LA		40,000	
013	ST MARTINVILLE	LA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
014	MCALESTER	OK		40,000	
015	EL PASO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
016	HOUSTON	TX		40,000	

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 760,000

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY267
INVITATION : 010
COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 15 CHICKEN, BREADED COOKED FZN CP
PACK SIZE : 30 30 LB CONTAINER

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DELIVERY PERIOD 11/16/03 - 11/30/03

017	AUGUSTA	ME	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
018	ALTOONA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
019	SUNBURY	PA	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
020	SUNBURY	PA	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
	WILKES-BARRE	PA	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
021	CHARLESTON	WV		39,000
022	ALEXANDER CITY	AL	TRUCK ONLY	29,550
	BIRMINGHAM	AL	TRUCK ONLY	9,450
023	CLANTON	AL	TRUCK ONLY	18,000
	TUSCALOOSA	AL	TRUCK ONLY	21,000
024	MOBILE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
025	WINTER HAVEN	FL		39,000
026	EAST BERNSTADT	KY	TRUCK ONLY	9,750
	FAIRFIELD	OH	TRUCK ONLY	9,750
	OWENSBORO	KY	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
027	FAYETTEVILLE	NC	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
028	CHATTANOOGA	TN	TRUCK ONLY	12,000
	CLEVELAND	GA	TRUCK ONLY	27,000
029	ROCK ISLAND	IL	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
030	NEWPORT	MN		39,000
031	ST PAUL	MN	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
032	ALBUQUERQUE	NM		78,000
033	AMARILLO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	13,830
	LUBBOCK	TX	TRUCK ONLY	25,170
034	EL PASO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
035	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
036	DENVER	CO	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
037	PUEBLO	CO	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
038	FARGO	ND	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
039	LINCOLN	NE		78,000
040	CLEARFIELD	UT	TRUCK ONLY	26,340
	SANDY	UT	TRUCK ONLY	12,660

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DELIVERY PERIOD 11/16/03 - 11/30/03

041	LARAMIE	WY		39,000
042	BAKERSFIELD	CA	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
043	CORDELIA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
044	CORDELIA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
	FRESNO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
045	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	117,000
046	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	9,750
	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	29,250
047	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	78,000
048	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
049	VERNON	CA	TRUCK ONLY	78,000
050	LAS VEGAS	NV	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
	RENO	NV	TRUCK ONLY	19,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 1,560,000

COMM TYPE : 16 CHICKEN, FRESH/FROZEN BULK SM
PACK SIZE : 90 2 1/2 - 3 3/4 LB BULK PACK

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DELIVERY PERIOD 11/16/03 - 11/30/03

051	SUMTER	SC	TRUCK ONLY	180,000
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TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 180,000

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY267
INVITATION : 010
COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 25 CHICKEN, FRESH/FROZEN BULK LG
PACK SIZE : 90 OVER 3.75 LB BULK PACK

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
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DELIVERY PERIOD 11/16/03 - 11/30/03

052	GAINESVILLE	GA	TRUCK ONLY	360,000	
053	BOAZ	AL	TRUCK ONLY	1,656,000	
054	ROME	GA	TRUCK ONLY	504,000	*NO TOLERANCE (See note.)
055	CHATTANOOGA	TN	TRUCK ONLY	36,000	
056	MT PLEASANT	TX	TRUCK ONLY	72,000	*NO TOLERANCE (See note.)
057	NEW HOLLAND	PA	TRUCK ONLY	1,368,000	*NO TOLERANCE (See note.)

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 3,996,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION 6,496,000

***NOTE:** No tolerance will be allowed for purchase units under these item numbers. Purchase units weighing less than 36,000 pounds will be rejected.

Dennis J. Pearson
Contracting Officer

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